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SUBJ: ARTICLE 4 TALKS IN MR III?

1. III CG LTG MINH TODAY EXPRESSED HIS WILLINGNESS TO PROCEED WITH TALKS WITH THE COMMUNIST COMMANDERS WITHIN CONTEXT OF ARTICLE 4 OF PARIS AGREEMENT, AND ASKED USFPJMC REPRESENTATIVES TO HELP SET IT UP.

2. MINH SAID HE WAS INTERESTED IN TALKING TO VCJMC DELEGATION CHIEF LTG TRAN VAN TRA WITHIN FRAMEWORK OF ARTICLE 4 OF PARIS AGREEMENT, BUT HE WAS SURE HE WOULD HAVE TO ARRANGE THAT THROUGH HIS OWN SAIGON CHANNELS. MEANWHILE HE WAS WILLING TO HAVE HIS DIVISION COMMANDERS MEET THEIR COMMUNIST COUNTERPARTS, AND ACCEPTED TRAC COMMANDER MG GARTH'S SUGGESTION THAT USFPJMC REPRESENTATIVES EXPLORE POSSIBILITIES FOR SUCH TALKS WITHIN THE REGION V FPJMC. WALKINSHAW

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